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In re Appln. of: Landers, et al.

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DISPENSER

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 29, 2009, in the above-referenced application, please enter the amendment presented herein.

A listing of claims begins at page 2 of this paper.

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